

Docket No.  
**TPP 30873**

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June 29, 2000

Examiner  
B. Egan

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1772

**Invention:**

### FLAT OR SEMI-FLAT ELEMENT INCLUDING A FRAME

**TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of March 8, 2004 in the above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month      ☒ Two months      ☐ Three months      ☐ Four months      ☐ Five months

from: June 8, 2004                  until: August 8, 2004  
Date    Date

The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

## CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	20 -	24 =	0	x \$18.00	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	1 -	3 =	0	x \$86.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$420.00
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$420.00

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**COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF  
TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)**

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The fee for the amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of **\$420.00** for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_ in the amount of **\$420.00**
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. **19-4375**
- ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
- ☐ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **19-4375**



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